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GENERATING CRYPTOGRAPHIC SECURITIES IN A HOST
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In accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.56, Applicant requests that citation and examination of the following document be made during the course of examination of the above-referenced application for United States Letters Patent.

AA United States Patent No. 6,044,350

EXPLANATION OF RELEVANCE

Reference AA was cited by the German Patent and Trademark Office in an Examination Report dated February 1, 2006 in connection with the counterpart German application. The Examination Report also cited United States Patent Application Publication No. 2002/0108042, but that reference has already been made of record herein as Reference AA in the Information Disclosure Statement filed on April 18, 2005.

Form 1449, on which Reference AA is listed, is submitted herewith.

As of the date of mailing of this Information Disclosure Statement, a first Office Action on the merits has not been received in connection with this application.

This Information Disclosure Statement is therefore in compliance with 37 C.F.R. §1.97(b)(3), and no fee is necessary.

Should this Information Disclosure Statement cross in the mail with a first Office Action, it is still in compliance with 37 C.F.R. §1.97(c), and no fee is necessary. Accordingly, the undersigned counsel states, pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.97(e)(1), that Reference AA was first cited in a communication from a foreign Patent Office in connection with a counterpart foreign application not more than three months prior to the filing of this Information Disclosure Statement.

All claims of the application are submitted to be patentable over the teachings of Reference AA, taken singly or in combination with the references previously made of record. Early consideration of the application is therefore respectfully requested.

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